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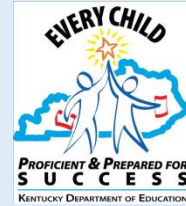
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FYI – the information below was included in yesterday's District Assessment Coordinator (DAC) email.

# Monday DAC E-Mail



October 12, 2015

## **ADDING AN END-OF-COURSE (EOC) ASSESSMENT TO THE COURSE**

In the past, when creating student rosters for EOC testing, KDE has relied on the use of state course codes. When pulling student names many more students were being pulled onto rosters than needed to be tested due to the use of multiple state course codes. Pulling student names onto rosters that should not be there results in District Assessment Coordinators (DACs) or Building Assessment Coordinators (BACs) having to delete thousands of students from rosters each spring.

To reduce the work for DACs or BACs on 2015-16 spring rosters, there has been a change to the way in which EOC assessments will be identified in Infinite Campus (IC). The process has been refined to make it more concise when the rosters for the EOC courses (especially Biology) are pulled from IC. **It is now required for each school to add an assessment in the Assessment Tab on the course or course master for all EOC courses.**

Instead of providing KDE a list of courses that the school/district uses for English II, Algebra II, Biology, and U.S. History, school/district staff will add the EOC assessment to the course (or course master) in the Assessment tab. This action will allow rosters to be pulled more accurately.

Note: Adding the assessment in the Assessment Tab to the course does not affect the teacher's gradebook. Attaching the assessment to EOC courses has no bearing on the gradebook.

DACs, please provide guidance and support to school staff to **complete this action by October 30**. For directions regarding how to add an EOC assessment to your EOC course, please review the [Instructions for Adding Assessments to the Course](#). For further questions, please contact KDE at [kdedatarequest@education.ky.gov](mailto:kdedatarequest@education.ky.gov).

## **GROWTH, CCR AND EOC SCORES UPLOADED TO IC**

KDE strives to publish assessment data in Infinite Campus (IC) as it becomes available. Growth, CCR (College/Career Readiness) and EOC (End-of-Course) scores from the 2014-15 school year have been loaded into IC. These scores will also be available in CIITS at this time. KDE will be publishing the Growth and the EOC scores from the 2014-15 school year, to the districts, the week of October 12.

For questions regarding this upload, please contact [Raymond Carter](#).

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